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Amendment Transmittal Letter

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Inventor(s): Christopher J. Edge et al
Application No. 08/884,411
Filed: June 27, 1997
Title: CHARACTERIZATION OF COLOR IMAGING SYSTEMS
Group Art Unit: 2723
Examiner: M. Dastouri

- ☒ Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.
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Claims As Amended							
(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest No. Previously Paid For	(5) Present Extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee	
Total Claims	58	Minus	** 59	= 0	x \$18.	= 0	
Independent Claims	9	Minus	*** 9	= 0	x \$78.	= 0	
Additional fee for filing one or more multiple dependent claims, if no such fee has been previously paid					\$260.	0	
Total Additional Fee For This Amendment →						\$0	

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Respectfully submitted,

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For: CHARACTERIZATION OF
COLOR IMAGING SYSTEMS

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 7, 1999, the three-month shortened statutory period of response for which expires on a Saturday, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claim 23 and amend claims 1, 8, 17, 18, 22, 34, 49, 57, and 58, as follows:

1. (Twice Amended) A color characterization method for characterizing a color imaging system, the method comprising:

obtaining [generating] first color values representing [in a color coordinate system by using output samples of the color imaging system, the first color values representing colors of the] output samples of the color imaging system; [and]

converting the first color values into second color values in a device-independent color coordinate system using a white reference vector and a black reference vector; and
[.]

adjusting the white reference vector [being adjusted] using the black reference

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